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HERITAGE HOMES ON AMELIA STREET  
MRS. JESSIE KNIGHT

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A memorandum dated June 25, 1985 was received from Mayor Pollen reporting on his extensive discussion with regard to the appropriateness of maintaining the properties at 1517/1519/1521/1527/1529 Amelia Street on the Heritage Registry. Mrs. Jessie Knight, owner of the properties, maintains that the buildings are in such a poor state of repair that there is no reason to continue the potential heritage status and this contributes to her inability to sell them.

The Mayor suggested that at least two of the houses could be saved by somebody interested in the restoration of heritage buildings but that the others may be beyond repair, and he recommended that the situation be reviewed with a view to developing a policy to save the properties at 1519 and 1521 Amelia Street.

Motions to remove 1517/1527 and 1529 or to delete 1517 Amelia Street from the Heritage "A" list were defeated.

ACTION: This matter was tabled until the next meeting to permit Aldermen an opportunity to examine the structures.